

LEWES BPW UPDATES – OCTOBER 2019

Holiday Closing

Monday, October 14, 2019 – Columbus Day

General Information

4:00 p.m. – Wednesday, October 23, 2019 – Regular Board Meeting – City Hall

10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. – Saturday, October 26, 2019 - Household Hazardous Waste and Electronics Day and the City of Lewes Drug Take Back Day ... Stay tuned for more information to be posted on the website.

Hydrant Flushing will be held on Friday and Saturday, October 11th through October 12th. We will begin on Friday morning at 5:00 a.m., inland and conclude Saturday on the beach. Please stay tuned.

Electric Department

Winter is just around the corner and now is the time to prepare for the weather ... please take the precautionary effort to be sure that you have an emergency kit on hand such as flashlights, batteries, bottled water, etc. for when power is out for an unknown period.

Please remember, **SAFETY** is our number one concern when crews are out working to restore power. We cannot be in a bucket truck when the wind is gusting greater than 35 mph.

Water / Sewer Department

The Water Department must always have access to the Water Meters. <u>Please refrain from planting flowers, trees or shrubs four feet in front or around hydrants and meter pits.</u> This is a precaution for when there is a water leak emergency to locate the meter in a timely manner or if we do not get an accurate reading. Always be sure that your meter is at final grade level.

Trash and Yard Waste

Trash and Yard Waste are handled by the **City of Lewes** ... please contact them at 302-645-7777.